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Confirmation No.: 9955
For: Directional Antenna Physical Layer Steering for WLAN

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InterDigital Communications Corp., John E. Hoffmann, John A. Regnier and Kevin P. Johnson hereby petition that the above-captioned application be accepted under 37 C.F.R. § 1.47(a). The petition fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) is provided herewith.

One of the inventors, George Rodney Nelson, Jr. has not returned a signed Declaration for the above-referenced patent application despite attempts.

On September 30, 2003, the application materials for the above-referenced application, including the specification, claims, abstract, and informal drawings ("the application papers"), were deposited with the U.S. Postal Service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10.

On October 22, 2003 I forwarded a copy of all application papers including a Declaration to Mr. George Rodney Nelson, Jr. at his last known address. On February 3, 2004, I forwarded a "Reminder" copy of these documents a second time to Mr. George Rodney Nelson,

Jr. Both sets of documents were sent by First Class Mail. Copies of my letters are attached hereto as Exhibits A and B.

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The executed Declaration for the other inventors, John E. Hoffman, John A. Regnier and Kevin P. Hoffman is being submitted herewith in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated December 24, 2004. A copy of Form PTO-1533 is enclosed.

The attached check in the amount of \$1,140.00 includes payment of the filing fees, surcharge, and fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h).

Please charge any additional fees due in this matter to Applicants' Attorney Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

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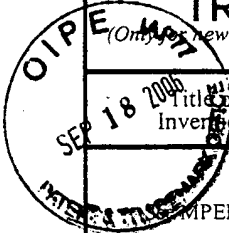
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Title of Invention DIRECTIONAL ANTENNA PHYSICAL LAYER STEERING FOR WLAN
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Prior application information: Examiner: Gregory C. Issing Group Art Unit: 3662

The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.
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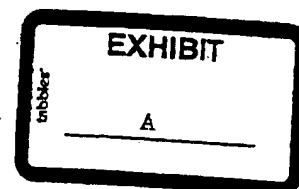
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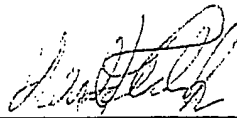
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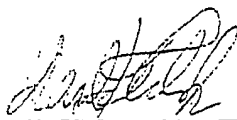
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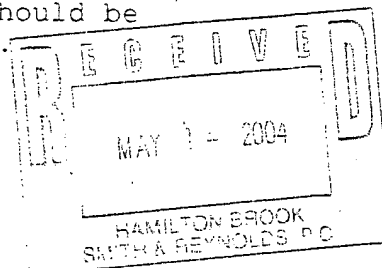
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In re Application of
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Application No. 10/675,583
Filed: September 30, 2003
For: DIRECTIONAL ANTENNA PHYSICAL LAYER STEERING FOR WLAN

Dear GEORGE RODNEY NELSON, JR.:

You are named as a joint inventor in the above identified United States patent application, filed under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 116 (United States Code), and 37 CFR 1.47(a), Rules of Practice in Patent Cases. Should a patent be granted on the application you will be designated therein as a joint inventor.

As a named inventor you are entitled to inspect any paper in the file wrapper of the application, order copies of all or any part thereof (at a prepaid cost per 37 CFR 1.19) or make your position of record in the application. Alternatively, you may arrange to do any of the preceding through a registered patent attorney or agent presenting written authorization from you. If you care to join the application, counsel of record (see below) would presumably assist you. Joining in the application would entail the filing of an appropriate oath or declaration by you pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63.

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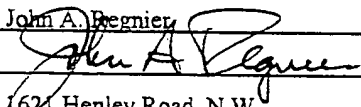
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